

Nevada Department of Education
ADVISORY COUNCIL ON PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT
Thursday, February 5, 2015 – 9:00 A.M.

Meeting Locations:

Department of Education
Board Room
700 East Fifth Street
Carson City, NV 89701

and

UNR Cooperative Extension – Suite 100, Room A
8050 Paradise Road
Las Vegas, NV 89123
(via video conference)

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AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order; Roll Call, Pledge of Allegiance**
Dena Durish, Director, NDE Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement Division
- 2. Public Comment #1**
Public comment will be taken during this agenda item regarding any item appearing on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter discussed under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The Chair will impose a time limit of three minutes, non-transferrable for each speaker. Public Comment #2 will provide an opportunity for public comment on any matter within the Council's jurisdiction, control, or advisory authority.
- 3. Introductions of Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement Staff and Advisory Council on Parental Involvement and Family Engagement Members (Information/Discussion)**
Dena Durish, Director, NDE Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement Division
- 4. Overview of Nevada Revised Statutes: NRS Chapter 241 – Meetings of State and Local Agencies (Open Meeting Law) (Information/Discussion)** Greg D. Ott, Deputy Attorney General
- 5. Nevada Department of Education Overview (Information/Discussion)**
Dena Durish, Director, NDE Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement Division
 - Nevada Department of Education Overview
 - Division of Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement Overview
 - Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement Overview

6. **Council on Parental Involvement and Family Engagement: History and Duties** (*Information/Discussion*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
 - History of the Council
 - Statutory Duties of the Council
 - Council Budget Overview
7. **Election of Officers** (*Information/Discussion/For Possible Action*) Greg D. Ott, Deputy Attorney General
8. **Possible Future Meeting Dates and Preferred Meeting Format** (*Information/Discussion/For Possible Action*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
9. **Overview of the PTA National Standards for Family-School Partnerships and the Nevada PTA** (*Information/Discussion*) Amy Henderson, President, Nevada PTA
10. **School District Advisory Councils Overview and Status Update** (*Information/Discussion/For Possible Action*) Rose Avila, Education Program Professional, NDE, Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
11. **Long and Short-Term Work Plan/Goal Setting** (*Information/Discussion/For Possible Action*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
12. **Meeting Summary and Future Meeting Agenda Items** (*Information/Discussion*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
13. **Additional Council Member Comments** (*Information/Discussion*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement
14. **Public Comment #2**

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15. **Meeting Adjournment** (*Information/Discussion*) Rose Avila, Education Programs Professional, NDE Office of Parental Involvement and Family Engagement